

## Scheduled Cesarean Before Birth\*

2011 Maine Pregnancy Risk Assessment Monitoring System Survey Results

Demographic Groups		No		Yes	
	Population	%	CI	%	CI
<b>Total</b>	<b>12,696</b>	<b>82.7</b>	<b>79.8 - 85.2</b>	<b>17.3</b>	<b>14.8 - 20.2</b>
<b>Age</b>					
<20 years	868	99.1	97.9 - 99.6	#	# - #
20-24 years	3,112	85.8	79.2 - 90.5	14.3	9.5 - 20.8
25-34 years	7,025	82.4	78.5 - 85.7	17.6	14.4 - 21.5
35+ years	1,691	70.7	61.5 - 78.5	29.3	21.5 - 38.5
<b>Mother's Race</b>					
White	11,943	83.0	80.1 - 85.5	17.0	14.5 - 19.9
Black	404	#	# - #	#	# - #
Other	330	82.1	58.0 - 93.8	#	# - #
<b>Hispanic Origin</b>					
No	12,474^	82.6	79.7 - 85.1	17.4	14.9 - 20.3
Yes	207^	#	# - #	#	# - #
<b>Education</b>					
< High School	1,304	92.6	81.4 - 97.3	#	# - #
High School	4,094	82.3	76.9 - 86.6	17.8	13.4 - 23.2
> High School	7,251	81.1	77.2 - 84.4	18.9	15.6 - 22.8
<b>Marital Status</b>					
Married	7,407	80.3	76.3 - 83.7	19.7	16.3 - 23.7
Not Married	5,289	86.2	81.9 - 89.7	13.8	10.3 - 18.1
<b>Income</b>					
\$14,999 or less	3,122**	84.2	78.0 - 89.0	15.8	11.0 - 22.0
\$15,000-24,999	1,540**	81.6	72.4 - 88.2	18.4	11.8 - 27.6
\$25,000-49,999	2,292**	81.2	74.3 - 86.7	18.8	13.4 - 25.8
\$50,000 or more	4,084**	82.3	77.4 - 86.4	17.7	13.6 - 22.6

<b>Enrolled in WIC</b>						
<b>No</b>	6,960**	81.8	77.9 - 85.1	18.2	14.9 - 22.1	
<b>Yes</b>	4,966**	84.2	79.8 - 87.9	15.8	12.2 - 20.3	
<b>Enrolled in MaineCare/Medicaid</b>						
<b>No</b>	5,455**	84.8	80.8 - 88.1	15.2	11.9 - 19.2	
<b>Yes</b>	6,510**	80.9	76.7 - 84.5	19.1	15.5 - 23.3	
<b>Infant's birth weight</b>						
<b>&lt;2500 grams</b>	855	81.9	78.9 - 84.5	18.1	15.5 - 21.2	
<b>2500 grams or more</b>	11,831	82.7	79.7 - 85.4	17.3	14.6 - 20.3	

**NOTES:**

Population size for groups giving birth in Maine are taken from the Maine Vital Statistics System unless otherwise noted.

Unknowns are excluded from all tabulations.

\* *Survey Question 49: Had you planned or scheduled a cesarean delivery (c-section) at least one week before your new baby was born?*

\*\* Estimates of the population size for this group giving birth in Maine are made through PRAMS.

^ Estimate of Hispanic population giving birth in Maine is taken from the 2011 birth file.

# There were fewer than 10 survey respondents to this question. Data may be unreliable for describing this group, therefore percent is not reported.

CI = 95% Confidence Interval

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